

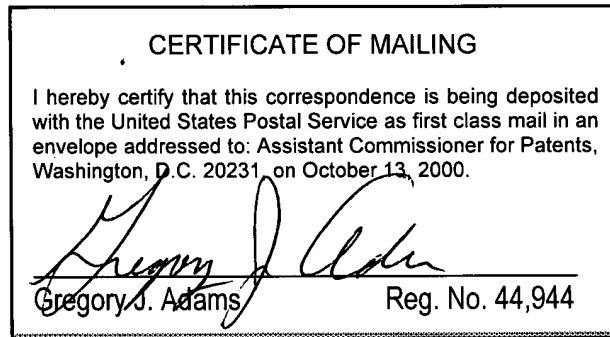
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This paper is being filed in response to the Restriction of September 27, 2000.
Applicants hereby elects Group I, claims 1-29, without traverse.

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